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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

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Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (52 pages).
- [X] Informal drawings (15 sheets, Figures 1-15).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [X] Assignment of the invention to NEC CORPORATION.
- [X] Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
- [X] Preliminary Amendment.

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